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To His Honour

Augustine Colin Macdonald,

Lieutenant Governor, &c., &c.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR :

In accordance with the provisions of "The Vital Statistics Act, 1906," I have the honour to submit the Report of the Registration of Births, Deaths and Marriages in this Province for the year ending December 31st., 1918.

The returns for the year show the Registration of 1297 Births, 1059 Deaths and 510 Marriages.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

I have the honour to be,

Your Honour's most obedient servant,

MURDOCH McKINNON,

Registrar General.

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MARRIAGES

The following is a summary of the Marriages recorded during the twelve months ending December 31st., 1918.

Counties	Where Bride and Bridegroom are of same denomination.								Where Bride and Bridegroom are of different Denominations	Total
	Roman Catholic	Presbyterian	Methodist	Baptist	Episcopalian	Church of Scotland	Christian	Other Denominations		
Queen's	80	65	19	7	7	7	2	2	60	249
Prince	55	30	22	6	9	1	1	1	51	176
King's	26	25	6	6	2		4		16	85
Total	161	120	47	19	18	8	7	3	127	510

BIRTHS

COUNTY	Males	Females	Not Given	Total
Queen's	151	136		287
Prince	261	261	1	523
King's	144	116		260
Charlottetown	110	94	23	227
Total	666	607	24	1297

DEATHS

	MALES	FEMALES	NOT GIVEN	TOTAL
Queen's	114	102		216
Prince	157	151	2	310
King's	121	101		222
Charlottetown	155	149	7	311
Total	547	503	9	1059

DEATHS

Analysis of registered Deaths according to age during the year ending December 31st., 1918.

Age not given	Under 3 years	3 and under 10	10 and under 21	21 and under 40	40 and under 60	60 and under 70	70 and under 80	80 and under 90	90 and upwards	Total
18	126	35	60	210	124	123	182	134	47	1059

Abstract of Causes of Death (by classes)

Class 1	Zymotic	35
Class 2	Constitutional	204
Class 3	Local	538
Class 4	Developmental	182
Class 5	Violent, Unknown or Accidental	100
	Total	1059

DEATHS

Name of Disease	Class 1. Zymotic	Class 2. Constitutional	Class 3. Local	Class 4. Developmental	Class 5. Violent, Unknown or Accidental	Total
Apoplexy			8			8
Appendicitis			12			12
Asthma			5			5
Accident					5	5
Anæmia		5				5
Acute Indigestion			11			11
Abscess			1			1
Acute Mania		1				1
Bronchitis			8			8
Bright's Disease			25			25
Brain Fever			3			3
Brain Trouble			5			5
Blood Poisoning		3				3
Bowel Trouble			1			1
Bilious Fever		1				1
Cancer			33			33
Croup	5					5
Convulsions				13		13
Catarrh			1			1
Congestion			2			2
Cholera	2					2
Complications					3	3
Congestion of lungs			3			3
Congestion of Brain			1			1
Child Birth				3		3
Cripple		1				1
Cardiac Syncope			1			1
Diphtheria	5					5
Dropsy		9				9
Diabetes		5				5
Drowned					4	4
Forward	12	25	120	16	12	185

DEATHS—*Continued*

Name of Disease	Class 1. Zymotic	Class 2. Constitutional	Class 3. Local	Class 4. Developmental	Class 5. Violent, Unknown or Accidental	Total
Brought Forward	12	25	120	16	12	185
Decline				2		2
Degeneration Cardiac Muscles			1			1
Demented		1				1
Exhaustion				6		6
Enteritis			3			3
Erysipelas	3					3
Endocarditis			1			1
Eczema			1			1
Fever		1				1
Found dead					1	1
Fall					2	2
From birth				3		3
Fracture of skull					1	1
Goitre			1			1
Gangrene			1			1
Gall stones			1			1
Gastric Fever		1				1
Heart Disease			98			98
Hemorrhage			5			5
Hardening of Arteries		3				3
Influenza		83				83
Inflamation			7			7
Infantile Diarrhoea			1			1
Inanition				4		4
Inflam: tion of lungs			2			2
Inflamation of bowels			2			2
Jaundice		1				1
Forward	15	118	244	31	16	421

DEATHS

Name of Disease	Class 1. Zymotic	Class 2. Constitutional	Class 3. Local	Class 4. Developmental	Class 5. Violent, Unknown or Accidental	Total
Brought Forward	15	115	244	31	16	421
Kidney Trouble			20			20
Killed					4	4
Kicked by horse					1	1
Lung Trouble			2			2
Liver Trouble			3			3
La Grippe		3				3
Lympho-Sarcoma			1			1
Meningitis	10					10
Meningitis of brain	2					2
Measles	3					3
Mumps	1					1
Myocardtiis			1			1
Natural causes				1		1
Nephritis			1			1
Obstruction of bowels			1			1
Old Age				148		148
Pneumonia			165			165
Paralysis			53			53
Peritonitis			10			10
Pleurisy			1			1
Premature birth				1		1
Quinsy			1			1
Rheumatism		7				7
Rupture			1			1
Forward	31	125	504	181	21	862

DEATHS—*Continued*

Name of Disease	Class 1. Zymotic	Class 2. Constitutional	Class 3. Local	Class 4. Developmental	Class 5. Violent, Unknown or Accidental	Total
Brought Forward	31	125	504	181	21	862
Spinal Meningitis	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	12
Spinal Disease	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	4
Strychnine poisoning	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Stomach Trouble	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	11
Summer complaint	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Suddenly	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Sore ankle	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Scalded	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Suffocation	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Senile Exhaustion	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Tuberculosis	.....	78	.....	.....	.....	78
Tumors	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	4
Typhoid fever	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Unknown	.....	.....	.....	.....	73	73
Ulcers	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Wounds	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2
Whooping cough	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Weakness	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1
Total	35	204	538	182	100	1059

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Registration of Births, Marriages and Deaths

The Road Masters have been appointed to send in the Births and Deaths for the several Districts.

Marriages must be registered in the office of Registrar General within thirty (30) days of such marriage.

Deaths occuring in Charlottetown, Summerside and Georgetown, must be registered before burial. Deaths occuring in other Districts must be registered within seven (7) days of their occurrence.

Births must be registered within thirty 30 days of their occurrence.

See Section 17.

Every duly qualified Medical Practitioner who was last in attendance during the last illness of any person, shall within forty-eight (48) hours after having notice or knowledge of the death of such person, transmit by Post, prepaid to the Road Master of the District in which the death took place, a certificate under his signature of the cause of death, according to the form in " Schedule B " to this Act annexed, to be provided by the said District Registrar, and it shall be the duty of every such Medical Practitioner to apply to the said Road Master for Blank forms for that purpose.

Section 34.

Any person who knowingly or wilfully makes or causes to be made any false statement touching any of the particulars required to be reported and entered under this " Act," shall, upon conviction thereof forfeit a sum not exceeding forty (40) dollars.

Section 35.

If any Householder, head of a family, Clergyman, Physician or other person or persons required by this Act to report Births, Marriages and Deaths, refuses or wilfully neglects to do so within the time named, shall upon conviction for each and every offence forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding twenty (20) dollars and costs.

The fees required to be paid to the Road Masters under this Act, for Registration of Births and Deaths are paid by the Provincial Government.

MURDOCK McKINNON,
Registrar General.

Office of Commissioner of Agriculture, Charlottetown.

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